SENATE BILL 2786 By Beavers

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 3, Part 5, relative to death certificates.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-3-504(a), is amended in subdivision (1) by deleting the language "after delivery".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-3-504(a), is further amended by adding a new subdivision thereto, as follows:

(4) When fetal death is due to the death of the mother of the fetus, the county medical examiner shall prepare and file the report.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.